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IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (currently amended): A paper for providing a sanitized surface, the paper comprising:

a base defined by a length and a width wherein the base has a top side and a bottom side wherein the bottom side is opposite the top side and further wherein the base forms a plane;

an antimicrobial surface connected to the top side of the base wherein the antimicrobial surface covers the top side wherein the antimicrobial surface ~~is made of~~ has silver zeolite; and

a first water resistant layer located between the base and the antimicrobial surface.

Claim 2 (previously presented): The paper of Claim 1 wherein the base has a plurality of depressions which are uniformly spaced across the base over the length of the base and the width of the base.

Claim 3 (previously presented): The paper of Claim 1 wherein the base has a plurality of depressions which are in continuous rows extending across the length of the base.

Claim 4 (previously presented): The paper of Claim 1 further comprising:

an antimicrobial layer connected to the bottom surface of the base.

Claim 5 (previously presented): The paper of Claim 1 further comprising:

a paper layer connected to the top side of the base wherein the paper layer is located between the antimicrobial surface and the base.

Claim 6 (currently amended): The paper of Claim 1 further ~~comprising, wherein the first~~ a water resistant layer is connected by an adhesive to a top side of a paper layer connected to the top side of the base ~~wherein the water resistant layer is located between the antimicrobial surface and the base.~~

Claim 7 (currently amended): The paper of Claim 1 further comprising:

a second water resistant layer connected to the bottom side of the base.

Claim 8 (currently amended): The paper of Claim 1 further comprising:

a second ~~plurality of~~ water resistant ~~layers~~ layer connected to the top side of the base wherein the second ~~plurality of~~ water resistant ~~layers~~ layer is located between the base and the antimicrobial surface; and

a paper layer connected to the top side of the base wherein the paper layer is located between the first water resistant layer ~~antimicrobial surface~~ and the ~~base~~ second water resistant layer.

Claim 9 (currently amended): The paper of Claim 1 further comprising:

~~a water resistant layer connected to the top side of the base wherein the water resistant layer is located between the base and the antimicrobial surface; and~~

a plurality of paper layers connected to the top side of the base wherein the plurality of paper layers is located between the antimicrobial surface and the base.

Claim 10 (currently amended): The paper of Claim 1 further comprising:

~~a water resistant layer connected to the top side of the base wherein the water resistant layer is located between the antimicrobial surface and the base; and~~

a paper layer connected to a the top side of the water resistant layer base wherein the paper layer is located between the antimicrobial surface and the base.

Claim 11 (currently amended): The paper of Claim 1 further comprising:

a second water resistant layer connected to the antimicrobial surface.

Claim 12 (currently amended): A process for making a paper, the process comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a first side and a second side wherein the second side is opposite the first side wherein the sheet is substantially flat and forms a plane;

connecting a first water resistant layer to the first side of the sheet; and

connecting an antimicrobial layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the antimicrobial layer is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite wherein the first water resistant layer is located between the sheet and the antimicrobial layer.

Claim 13 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 wherein the sheet has indentations ~~an indentation which is~~ formed in continuous rows along the sheet.

Claim 14 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

connecting a second water resistant layer to the second side of the sheet.

Claim 15 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

connecting a second water resistant layer to a bottom the ~~first~~ side of the antimicrobial layer sheet; and

scoring the first and second water resistant ~~layer layers~~ ~~wherein the water resistant layer is located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.~~

Claim 16 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

~~connecting a water resistant layer to the first side of the sheet, scoring the water resistant layer, and~~

connecting a paper layer to a top side of the first water resistant layer wherein the paper layer is located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 17 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

connecting a ~~plurality of second~~ water resistant ~~layers~~ layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the ~~plurality of first water resistant layer and the second~~ water resistant ~~layer layers~~ is are located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 18 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

adhering a paper layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the ~~first paper layer is located between~~ connects the first water resistant antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 19 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

~~adhering~~ connecting a ~~plurality of second~~ water resistant ~~layer and a paper layer layers~~ to the first side of the sheet, ~~and adhering a paper layer to the sheet wherein a~~ the first paper layer ~~is plurality of water resistant layers are~~ located between the ~~antimicrobial~~ first water resistant layer and the second water resistant layer sheet.

Claim 20 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

connecting ~~to~~ the first water resistant layer to a bottom side of the antimicrobial layer.

Claim 21 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

adhering ~~on~~ a second antimicrobial surface to the second side of the sheet.

Claim 22 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

~~adhering~~ connecting a paper layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the antimicrobial layer is connected to the paper layer.

Claim 23 (original): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

shredding the sheet.

Claim 24 (currently amended): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

forming indentations ~~an indentation~~ in the sheet wherein the indentation is spaced uniformly across the sheet.

Claim 25 (original): The process of Claim 12 further comprising the step of:

dividing the sheet into a plurality of sheets.

Claim 26 (currently amended): A method for using a paper to protect against contamination, the method comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a perimeter wherein the sheet has a

bottom surface and a top surface wherein the top surface is opposite the bottom surface wherein an antimicrobial surface substantially covers the top surface wherein a water resistant layer resides between the top surface and the bottom surface and further wherein the sheet is made of a paper having a weight range between sixteen and a half pounds and ninety pounds wherein the sheet forms a plane and further wherein the antimicrobial surface is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite;

positioning the sheet on a surface wherein the bottom surface of the sheet is adjacent to the surface wherein the surface is a substantially flat surface wherein the sheet covers the surface; and

positioning an object on the antimicrobial surface wherein the object is within the perimeter of the sheet wherein the object is separated from the surface by the sheet.

Claim 27 (original): The process of Claim 26 further comprising the step of:

wrapping the antimicrobial surface around the object.

Claim 28 (original): The process of Claim 26 further comprising the step of:

enclosing the object within the sheet wherein the object is surrounded by the antimicrobial surface.

Claim 29 (previously presented): The process of Claim 26 further comprising the step of:

separating a liquid from the object on the antimicrobial surface wherein the liquid is located on the top surface of the sheet.

Claim 30 (new): A process for making a paper, the process comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a first side and a second side wherein the second side is opposite the first side wherein the sheet is substantially flat and forms a plane;

connecting an antimicrobial layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the antimicrobial layer is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite;

connecting a water resistant layer to the first side of the sheet; and

scoring the water resistant layer wherein the water resistant layer is located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 31 (new): A process for making a paper, the process comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a first side and a second side wherein the second side is opposite the first side wherein the sheet is substantially flat and forms a plane;

connecting an antimicrobial layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the antimicrobial layer is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite;



connecting a water resistant layer to the first side of the sheet;

scoring the water resistant layer; and

connecting a paper layer to the water resistant layer wherein the paper layer is located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 32 (new): A process for making a paper, the process comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a first side and a second side wherein the second side is opposite the first side wherein the sheet is substantially flat and forms a plane;

connecting an antimicrobial layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the antimicrobial layer is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite; and

connecting a plurality of water resistant layers to the first side of the sheet wherein the plurality of water resistant layers is located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 33 (new): A process for making a paper, the process comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a first side and a second side wherein the second side is opposite the first side wherein the sheet is substantially flat and forms a plane;

connecting an antimicrobial layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the antimicrobial layer is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite; and

adhering a paper layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the paper layer is located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 34 (new): A process for making a paper, the process comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a first side and a second side wherein the second side is opposite the first side wherein the sheet is substantially flat and forms a plane;

connecting an antimicrobial layer to the first side of the sheet wherein the antimicrobial layer is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite;

adhering a plurality of water resistant layers to the first side of the sheet; and

adhering a paper layer to the sheet wherein the plurality of water resistant layers are located between the antimicrobial layer and the sheet.

Claim 35 (new): A method for using a paper to protect against contamination, the method comprising the steps of:

providing a sheet having a perimeter wherein the sheet has a bottom surface and a top surface wherein the top surface is opposite the bottom surface wherein an antimicrobial surface

substantially covers the top surface and further wherein the sheet is made of a paper having a weight range between sixteen and a half pounds and ninety pounds wherein the sheet forms a plane and further wherein the antimicrobial surface is made of polyethylene having silver zeolite;

positioning the sheet on a surface wherein the bottom surface of the sheet is adjacent to the surface wherein the surface is a substantially flat surface wherein the sheet covers the surface;

positioning an object on the antimicrobial surface wherein the object is within the perimeter of the sheet wherein the object is separated from the surface by the sheet; and

separating a liquid from the object on the antimicrobial surface wherein the liquid is located on the top surface of the sheet.